

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Please amend the Abstract by rewriting same to read as follows.

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An apparatus for combining retransmitted data includes a buffer for storing data unfavorably received from among received data received by a radio receiver and converted to a base band, a combiner for combining the data stored in the buffer with retransmitted received data, and a demodulator for demodulating the combined data combined by the combiner, wherein the demodulation is performed after combining the data stored in the buffer with the retransmitted received data.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 3, and 5 by rewriting same to read as follows.

--1. (Amended) A method of combining retransmitted data, comprising the steps of:

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storing received data determined as being abnormally received from among data received by a radio receiver and converted to a base band;

combining said stored received data with retransmitted received data; and

demodulating a result of said step of combining.

--3. (Amended) A method of combining retransmitted data, comprising the steps of:

a³ receiving a radio signal by an antenna, performing RF processing on the radio signal by a receiver for conversion to a base band frequency, and determining whether the received data is retransmitted data;

when the received data is determined not to be retransmitted received data, demodulating and decoding the received data when the data is not abnormal, and abandoning the data after decoding and storing the received data in a memory when the received data is abnormal data;

when the received data is determined to be retransmitted received data, combining the retransmitted received data with abnormal data previously stored in the memory, and demodulating and decoding the combined data; and

determining whether the decoding is normally performed, and ending processing when the decoding is normally performed, and abandoning the decoded data and storing the received data in the memory when the decoding is abnormally performed.

--5. (Amended) A retransmitted data combining apparatus comprising:

a⁴ a memory for storing received data determined as being